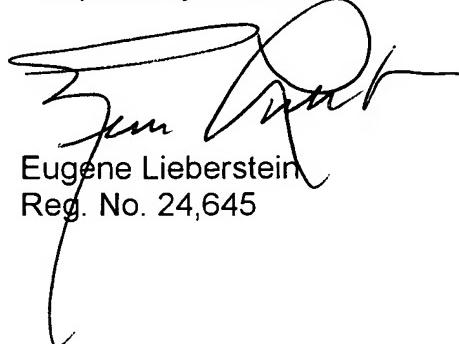




REMARKS

The Notice states that claim 2 should be listed with a status identifier. Applicant has properly identified claim 1 as being cancelled. Therefore, applicant believes all claims to be in compliance with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.121 and therefore respectfully requests that the application to proceed on the merits.

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